

FERGUSON DEALS TIRADE AGAINST RESERVE SYSTEM

Candidate For United States Senate Brands Financial Agency As Corrupt—Would Wipe Out Entirely—Champions Cause of Rural Schools—Would Restore Light Liquors.

A vigorous denunciation of the Federal Reserve System, of the alleged shortcomings of State aid for Texas schools, and a stand in favor of light wines and liquors featured the address here Saturday night in the district court room of James E. Ferguson, ex-governor of the State and now candidate for the United States Senate. Although Mr. Ferguson spoke until after 10 o'clock, few left the room, which was nearly filled. The speaker was introduced by Cecil Storey, local attorney.

The audience voiced its approval of several of the candidate's utterances with bursts of applause.

Justifies Bolt.

The candidate commenced his address by asking for a vindication of the stigma which had been placed upon him through having been impeached as governor of Texas several years ago. He referred to the incident as that "unfortunate trouble at Austin." In justifying his bolt from the ranks of the Democratic party, Mr. Ferguson pointed to several precedents, and named Sam Houston, Texas statesman, Theodore Roosevelt, and Tom Watson of Georgia as examples of others who had taken like action.

The speaker declared himself as unalterably opposed to any poll tax qualifications for voting. He also took a stand against what he called blue laws that placed a restriction on private liberty. He voiced his approval of Sunday recreations of various sorts, such as motoring, ball games and picture shows, and remarked that "those who say where we shall not go will be soon telling us where we shall go."

Blames Government.

The candidate then launched into a discussion of the financial situation, asserting that the nation is not suffering from over production but from lack of money. The blame for this condition he attributed to the national government for having turned over the "sacred privilege" of finances to the Federal Reserve Banks. The Reserve board he characterized as a group of heartless, cold blooded individuals.

"The system is bad in principle and practice," exclaimed Mr. Ferguson. "It is corrupt and should be wiped out entirely. It is not a government institution, as is popularly imagined, for four-fifths of the stock is owned by national banks.

"The Reserve board has tremendous powers. It can tell your local banker how much money to loan you, how much interest to charge, and can force payment of your debt whether the action meets with the favor of your banker or not.

"The board can create or decrease money. It enjoys a special favor to a special few, and there will be no prosperity until it is eliminated."

Explains System.

Mr. Ferguson then explained the workings of the system, emphasizing particularly that the board can force payments on notes at any time. He ascribed the recent financial depression to the alleged activities of the "crowd at Washington" in purchasing liberty bonds. He asserted that the board forced payment on the securities, and when this was impossible for thousands of holders, the bonds were thrown on the market, thus depressing prices and giving the manipulators an opportunity to make advantageous purchases.

The speaker charged further that money was denied to small banks while it was furnished in huge quantities to those which were influential. He criticized the high salaried officials in the system, and the employees whom he said were cared for by free lunches and orchestral music through interest taken from the farmer. In Texas, he proclaimed, the system is as crooked as in New York, and charged that certain officials in Dallas had been given big sums of money for the use of their names as heading defense banks.

Would Distribute Gold.

As a remedy Mr. Ferguson suggested the distribution of the huge hoard of

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PHONOGRAPHS PLAY "COMING THROUGH THE RYE."



Coming through the Rye.

Customs inspectors searching a barge in New York harbor came across several cases marked "talking machines." In moving one of these cases a musical "tinkle, tinkle" came from the box, and it was opened, disclosing no talking machines, but plenty of real rye whiskey. There is a lot of "talk" in that much booze.

OKLAHOMA GIRL IS BRIDE OF HOLMES

FORMER VERNON RESIDENT
WEDS MISS MARTHA ROPER
THIS MORNING.

Wayne Holmes of Wichita Falls and Miss Martha Roper of Oklahoma City were married this morning at the home of the bride. Mr. Holmes formerly lived in Vernon and is a son of Rev. and Mrs. S. H. Holmes of W. Paradise street.

Prior to the World War he was head of the money order department of the local postoffice for several years. He enlisted in the navy and was in that branch of the service until the expiration of the war. He was stationed at San Francisco the first six months of his enlistment and after that made three trips across the Atlantic ocean with the Pacific fleet.

Is Private Secretary

Soon after the Burk-Waggoner well came in Mr. Holmes went to Wichita Falls and has been employed since as private secretary and building manager to R. M. Waggoner. The following account of the wedding is taken from the Wichita Daily Times:

"The marriage of Wayne Holmes, building manager for the Waggoner-Green Co., to Miss Martha Roper, daughter of Rev. Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Roper of Oklahoma City will take place Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock in that city at the bride's home.

"Miss Roper will be pleasantly remembered by her many friends here, where she has been identified with school and music interests through her connection with the music department of Junior high school the past several years and with the First Christian church choir. W. E. Bristol and Miss Hazelle Dean, who is here with her mother, Mrs. D. Gray Dean of Henderson, Texas, visiting Mr. and Mrs. Fred Barron a few days, will leave today for Oklahoma City to attend the wedding. Mr. Bristol will be best man in the wedding party.

"Mr. and Mrs. Holmes will leave Oklahoma City immediately for Wichita Falls, and are expected to arrive here Tuesday night. They will make their home at Eleventh and Denver."

MISS GLADYS GUTHRIE IS BRIDE OF DUNCAN MAN

Vernon friends of Miss Gladys Guthrie of Duncan, Okla., and formerly of Vernon have received the news of her marriage to Lionel Ellis, also of Duncan, which occurred last week. The young couple motored to Waurika where the ceremony was performed by a Methodist minister at his home there. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Guthrie, former residents of Vernon, and she is a granddaughter of J. T. Fletcher, a Confederate veteran of this city who is attending the reunion at Richmond, Va. Mrs. Ellis has been employed by the telephone company of Duncan and Mr. Ellis has a place with the Fuqua-Morgan company there. The couple will make their home with Mr. Ellis' mother.

LOCAL PROPHETS SEE PROSPERITY AROUND THE BEND

Era Of Good Business Expected As Result Of Promising Crops To Be Gathered In Fall—Cotton May Prove Big Factor—Activity Seen Everywhere On County Farms.

An era of good business, fostered by the prospects for one of the best agricultural seasons in the history of Wilbarger county is the prediction of local bankers and business men in discussing conditions to be expected during the coming fall.

Indications are, according to those versed in such affairs, that the price of cotton will be comparatively high and the production of the commodity correspondingly low, and row crops in the county are enjoying a wonderful stand. Everyone is at work, is the comment heard on every side, and as a result prosperity of material proportions is expected to visit this section within the next six months.

Wheat Yield Gratifying

Wheat acreage is small, but the yield per acre has been found gratifying on many farms. With threshing well under way, it is pointed out, farmers will soon be provided with sufficient spending money to tide them over until cotton is gathered.

Bankers point with satisfaction to the foreign situation which is gradually reaching a more normal state, and comment on the fact that lower interest charges are an indication that money has loosened appreciably. One local bank official remarked that he sensed an improvement about a year ago, and that conditions have bettered steadily since.

There is nothing of the effusive in the attitude of local business men concerning the outlook for the coming autumn, but there is an underlying spirit of quiet confidence that manifests itself in all their conversation upon the subject. A few of the merchants pointed to the fact that business is normal as an indication of good times to come, while most of them are frank in reporting a distinct improvement over trade of sixty days ago.

Everyone Busy

On Wilbarger county farms the work of cutting wheat has been finished, and thousands of shocks are being daily thrown into the maws of the thrasher. Everywhere is activity, hands that are not engaged in pitching from the field are chopping cotton, and the journeyer along Wilbarger roads can almost note the growth of the stalks from day to day. Unless the unforeseen, always imminent in any situation, intervenes, prosperity will be more than the ordinary variety locally when cotton bolls sprinkle county fields with white, those prophesying proclaim.

Hawkins To Constitute Commandery

L. G. Hawkins, Past Grand Commander of the Grand Commandery of Texas will constitute the Seymour Commandery Thursday night, June 29, and all Sir Knights of Vernon Commandery 23 have been invited to attend the event. The local commandery will meet tonight in regular session.

ARE MARRIED AT HOME OF PASTOR

MRS. J. L. PHILLIPS AND K. G. McDONALD WED TUESDAY NOON.

K. G. McDonald and Mrs. J. L. Phillips, both of Vernon, were united in marriage yesterday at high noon by Thomas Milholland, pastor of the Church of Christ, at his home here. Only a few close friends of the couple witnessed the ceremony. The newly married pair left on the noon train for Galveston for a ten days stay.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hise, living on the corner of Lexington and Olive streets and a sister of Mrs. Lloyd Fowler, Mrs. John Krebs and Mrs. W. W. Duke of Vernon. Her family has lived here several years, and is well and favorably known to a wide circle of acquaintances.

Mr. McDonald has been living in Vernon for fifteen years and has been manager of the Empire Laundry for twelve years. He also has scores of friends locally.

NEW OIL TEST TO BE SPUDDED IN

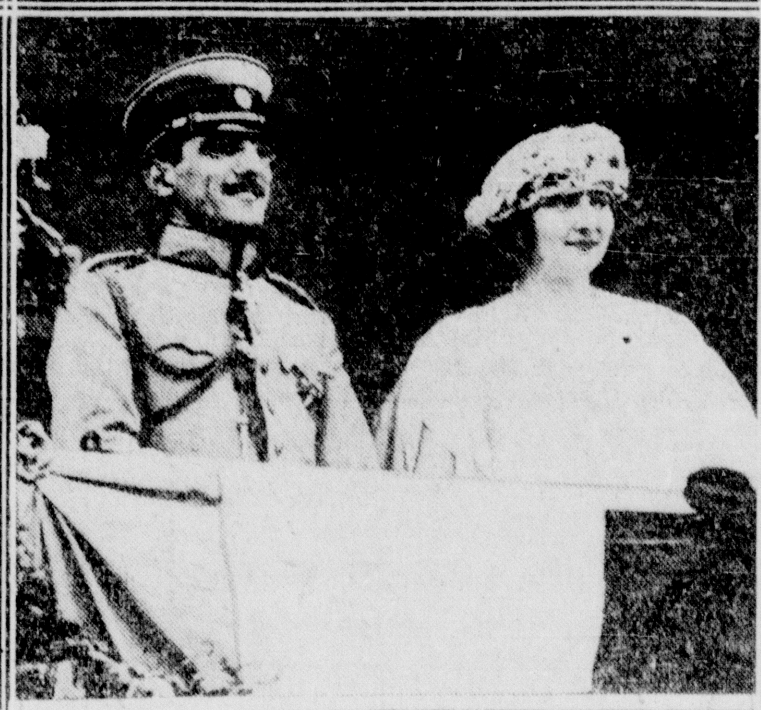
COMPANY PREPARES TO DRILL ON STRUCTURE HIGHLY APPROVED.

Operations are scheduled to begin within the next few days in sinking a deep test for oil on Block 14, Section 80, south of town and about two and a half mile northeast of Sigler number 1. The company, in which a portion of local money has been invested, is capitalized for \$30,000 with the stock all subscribed. The concern is also incorporated.

The test is in the neighborhood of the Bob Castlebury well, regarded at the time as promising, and an excellent report has been rendered on the structure on which the hole will be sunk. The company possesses a lease on 500 acres of land in the vicinity.

Tools from the Tex-Wyoming well will be used, and work at repairing a bull wheel has thus far halted progress. A new wheel has been purchased, however, and the well will probably be spudded in within the next few days.

THE SERBIAN ROYAL WEDDING.



King Alexander and Queen Marie.

Photograph shows King Alexander of Serbia with his bride, the former Princess Marie of Rumania, as they drove to the races after their wedding in Belgrade.

CITIZENSHIP DAY TO BE OBSERVED

TEMPERANCE UNION WILL OFFER ATTRACTIVE PROGRAM JULY 4.

Members of the Women's Christian Temperance Union will be hostesses Tuesday, July 4 on the court house lawn to residents of Vernon as a means of celebrating "citizenship day." There will be an attractive program which will commence promptly at 3 o'clock. Last year the event was staged at the fairgrounds, but the court house lawn has been chosen as a more perfect community center.

Following is the program which will be rendered Tuesday under the direction of Mrs. Rena Watts:

Music by Paul Goetze's band.
"America"—By audience and band.
Invocation—Rev. C. A. Waterfield.
American Creed—By audience.
"Battle Hymn of the Republic"—By audience and band.

Origin of Independence Day—Rev. E. L. Moore.
Music by band.
Address by Major Culbertson of Wichita Falls.
"Columbia, Gem of the Ocean"—By band and audience.

Four minute speaking by District and county candidates.

Music by the band—Selected.
"A Pledge for Conscientious Citizens"—By Mrs. S. E. Lloyd.
Music by band—Selected.
"The Oath of Allegiance"—By audience.

"The Star Spangled Banner"—By audience.

Dismissal—Music by band.

Marriage Licenses Issued

Marriage licenses were issued this week to J. S. Tupor and Mrs. Nannie Carpenter, A. V. Schrum and Miss Bonnie King of Fourd county, and Valma Miller and Olivia Williams, negroes from Temple.

HUNDREDS ATTEND CHURCH DEDICATION

THREE SERVICES CONDUCTED MONDAY BY LOCKETT LUTHERANS.

Churchgoers from various part of Wilbarger county and from neighboring counties as well attended the dedication Sunday morning of the Lutheran church at Lockett. Services were held in the morning, afternoon and evening, and were conducted in both English and German.

Rev. E. Listmann was pastor in charge and he was assisted by Rev. E. A. Sievert of Victoria. Both delighted the congregation by their forceful, enlightening sermons. Tribute was also paid at the services to Frank Lockett who donated two and one-half acres to the church.

The church, possessing a seating capacity of approximately 500, was completely filled. Refreshments for the occasion were served from stands erected on the grounds. Proceeds from the sale of the refreshments were devoted to the church fund.

LOCAL CANDIDATES SPEND \$2,364.80

FINAL DAY FOR FILING ACCOUNTS SHOWS LIBERAL OUTLAYS.

Local candidates for county and district offices have spent thus far \$2,364.80, according to reports filed yesterday, the final day for the first accounting. A second report must be filed from twelve to eight days before July 22, and a third ten days after the primary.

The highest amount, \$304.43, spent by any one individual in the race thus far has been expended by Frank Edmonson, candidate for sheriff. The lowest amount is two dollars spent by Cecil Storey, candidate for the floratorial position in the State legislature.

Following are the candidates and the amounts each has spent:

Justice Peace, precinct 1—W. D. Hollar, \$25.00; T. J. Griffiths, \$23.50.
County Attorney—O. O. McCurdy, \$55.00; John A. Storey, \$59.25.
District Clerk—C. A. Richie, \$28.00.
Tax Collector—N. P. Whitesides, \$75.75; C. M. Blair, \$71.75; Gifford McCarroll, \$104.00.
County Treasurer—W. C. Alderman, \$53.50; Arthur Ivy, \$52.50.
District Attorney—Arthur C. Nicholson, \$152.00.

County Commissioner precinct 2—O. A. McCalch, \$25.00; W. G. McDonald, \$38.00; J. L. Tull, \$28.50.
County Judge—E. L. McHugh, \$20.00.
County Clerk—Miss Verna Lucky, \$72.75; J. W. Brock, Jr., \$106.00.
Sheriff—W. A. Ish, \$50.00; R. H. Bratton, \$95.50; Frank Edmonson, \$303.40.
District Judge—O. T. Warlick, \$206.45.

Commissioner Precinct 1—A. M. Jourland, \$25.00.
Tax Assessor—Lee Bryant, \$92.75; S. E. Porterfield, \$74.00.
County Commissioner precinct 4—A. P. Mason, \$17.00.
Public Weigher—J. L. Sneed, \$77.50; M. H. (Minor) Havis, \$107.00; E. D. Vaughn, \$59.90; M. L. Walker, \$94.00; W. W. Gilbert, \$84.50.

Constable Precinct 1—H. C. Justin, \$2.50.
Commissioner precinct 3—J. R. White, \$18.50; J. S. Archer, \$23.50.

Representative 112 District—Cecil Storey, \$2.00.
County Superintendent—L. A. Hollar, \$45.00.

Returns From Richmond Reunion.

Mrs. J. P. Hamilton and son, C. P. Hamilton of Odell, returned to Vernon yesterday afternoon from Richmond, Va., where they attended the Confederate reunion. The old soldiers who went from here enjoyed to the fullest extent their stay in the city, the travelers say. The bulk of the Vernon contingent will visit Chickamauga battle fields in Tennessee before returning home. Several also went to Washington and were shown over the city by Texas Congressman.

Girl To Mr. and Mrs. Norwood

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Norwood, living on S. Nubers street, are the parents of a fine baby girl born to them Saturday morning. The little newcomer has not yet been named.

WHEAT MOVEMENTS IN COUNTY EXCEED THOSE IN CITIES

Approximately 50,000 Bushels Estimated To Have Been Sold By Wilbarger Farmers—Receipts Less Than Last Year—Black Rust Threatens—Pure Seed Finding Favor.

Approximately fifty thousand bushels of wheat have moved during the present threshing season in Wilbarger county, is the estimate of local millers, and it is thought that this amount is considerably in excess of shipments made and received even at Fort Worth and Dallas. Wheat has been bringing \$1.04 on an average locally.

Grain movements of the same time a year ago are not equaled at present, however, and one mill operator estimated that the crop will yield about forty per cent of its total last year. Black rust is giving the farmers some concern, too, and 125 acres of what appeared promising wheat north of the river have been practically devastated by the disease.

Some Are Holding

Numbers of farmers, it is thought, are holding their wheat. Movements from the vicinity of Oklaunion continue to be the heaviest in the county. The Kell Milling Company is in receipt of nearly 25,000 bushels in its county elevators, and the Sewell Grain and Feed Company has accepted about 5,000 bushels locally.

Responses have been received by one of the local mills in regard to the campaign it has instituted for pure seed wheat, and numbers of farmers have asked that a portion of the shipment to be received here be reserved for them. Kneared is the variety preferred. This species of wheat has been raised in Wilbarger county with marked success.

DOG ATTACKS SMALL YOUTH

Little George Cartwright Severely Bitten By Infuriated Animal Sunday

George Cartwright, 9 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Cartwright living on W. Olive street, was severely bitten three times by a stray brindie bull dog Sunday morning as he was returning home from Sunday school. The injuries were received when the little lad stopped to talk to another little boy at the old Bishop home, now occupied by the Bolivar family on W. Texas street.

The dog had appeared in the neighborhood a few days before and had been playing with the children, but at the approach of the Cartwright boy immediately attacked him. The lad ran screaming into the yard where Mrs. Bolivia tried to protect him, but the dog tore the little boy out of her grasp and bit him three times, once in the right side, on the right arm and shoulder. F. A. N. O'Neal, hearing the cries of distress, ran from his home on the same street and quickly dispatched the infuriated animal.

The head of the dog was sent to Austin and word was received from there yesterday that the animal had no symptoms of rabies. The little boy is sitting up and will soon be out at play again.

SIGLER OFFSET PROMISES TO BE REAL PRODUCER

Workers on the Sigler offset south of town are continuing their swabbing operations, and the possibilities of the test are as yet undetermined, according to advices furnished from the office of the oil company this morning. It was hinted that the well might be a fifty barrel producer, but this figure was given as an estimate and not as a fact.

Those furnishing the information declined to predict when the work of swabbing might be finished and the hole drilled deeper.

PAVING PROGRESSES SWIFTLY ON ROAD SOUTH OF TOWN

Five hundred feet of paving had been laid Saturday night by workmen on the road south of town, and activities are progressing satisfactorily, according to reports from the operations. Scores of trucks loaded with rock daily make their way up Main street and out to where the paving is being laid.

Work was started at Paradise creek and is progressing toward Vernon. More than 200 feet of paving are being laid each day.

GIRLS' ENCAMPMENT TO START THURSDAY

ATTRACTIVE PROGRAM OF ENTERTAINMENT ARRANGED FOR EVENT.

The annual encampment of the girls home demonstration clubs of the county will commence Thursday afternoon in Allingham park, and will continue over until Saturday afternoon. Each girl has received instructions concerning her equipment for the occasion, and together with her companions, will camp in the open air unless the weather is bad. In this eventuality a building down town will be used for their accommodation.

Chaperons have been provided for the girls and will consist of women from the rural neighborhoods. A list of these will appear in Friday's Record.

Program For Camp

The following program will be followed during the three days:

Thursday Evening

Unpack.
Supper.
Picture show party, guests of Mr. Groever at Pictorium.

Friday A. M.

6:30—Sunrise Singing.
7:00—Devotional Exercises conducted by Rev. E. L. Moore.
7:30—Breakfast.
8:30-10:00—Classes conducted by Miss Edwards, A. and M. College.
10:00-10:15—Recess.
10:15-10:45—Drill conducted by Lieut. Lutz.

10:45-12:30—Class conducted by Miss Boss Edwards, Extension Service.
12:00-1:00—Lunch, cafeteria style.
1:00-1:30—Quiet hour.

1:30-2:00—Story telling hour, Miss Fay Hogsett in charge.

2:00-2:30—Recess.

2:30-6:30—Tour of city, conducted by Boy Scouts. (Includes trip to Kell Mill, coal house, Electric light plant and ice factory, and other points of interest.) From six to six-thirty they will be guests of the Hill Crest Country Club.

7:00-8:00—Supper with city and county commissioners as their guests; also with the two newspapers' staffs present.

8:00-10:30—Stunt party by girls—Impromptu.

10:30-10:45—bed time.

11:00—Lights out.

Saturday

5:30—Swim in Moore's pool.

6:30—Singsong.

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11:15-12:00—Recreation, Miss Hogsett in charge.

12:00-1:00—Lunch, with Boy Scouts and Goetze Band as guests.

1:00—Social hour, Misses Edwards and Hogsett and Lieut. Lutz in charge.

4:00—Breaking camp until next year.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff of any Constable of Wilbarger County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for a period of ten days before the return day hereof, in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year in said Wilbarger County, a copy of the following notice:

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To all persons interested in the welfare of the Estate of Mrs. A. C. Craig, deceased, E. M. Rogers was by the County Court of Wilbarger County, Texas, on the 25th day of May, A. D. 1922, duly appointed Temporary Administrator of the estate of said decedent, which appointment will be made permanent should the court be of the opinion that a permanent Administrator is necessary, unless the same shall be successfully contested at the next term of said Court, commencing on the first Monday in July, A. D. 1922, the same being the 3rd day of July, A. D. 1922, at the Court House thereof, in Vernon, Texas, at which time all persons interested in the welfare of the estate of said decedent may appear and contest such appointment if they so desire.

Herein fail not, but have you before said Court, on the said first day of the next term thereof, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Vernon, Texas, this the 14th day of June, A. D. 1922.

VERNA LUCKY, Clerk.
County Court Wilbarger, County Texas.
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To all persons interested in the welfare of the Estate of S. T. Reeder, deceased, Anna A. Reeder was by the County Court of Wilbarger County, Texas, on the 25th day of May, A. D. 1922, duly appointed Temporary Administrator of the estate of said decedent, which appointment will be made permanent should the court be of the opinion that a permanent Administrator is necessary, unless the same shall be successfully contested at the next term of said Court, commencing on the first Monday in July, A. D. 1922, the same being the 3rd day of July, A. D. 1922, at the Court House thereof, in Vernon, Texas, at which time all persons interested in the welfare of the estate of said decedent may appear and contest such appointment if they so desire.

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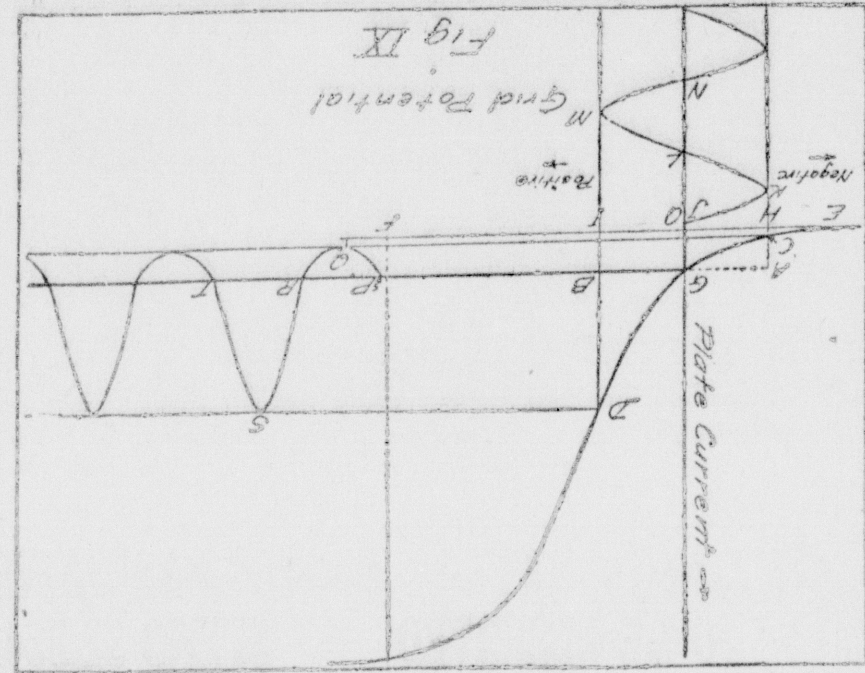
RADIO

POSITION AND SIZE OF GRID IMPORTANT

Determine Value of Negative Potential Necessary to Reduce the Plate Current to Zero.

In using a three-electrode vacuum tube in a radio set it is preferable to maintain the grid negative with respect to the filament in order to require the minimum amount of energy in the control of the plate circuit.

The relative position of the grid with respect to the filament and the plate and the size of the mesh of the



grid, determine the value of E. M. is the negative potential which must be applied to the grid in order to reduce the plate current to zero. The value of E, which is the positive grid potential that will cause the maximum or saturation current to flow in the plate circuit, is also determined by the relative position of the grid with respect to the filament and plate. If the grid is of very fine mesh, the value of E is small because the electrons in passing through the small mesh of the grid on their journey from the filament to the plate will negatively charge the grid and will be repelled. Similarly a small positive charge applied to a fine mesh will tend to accelerate the velocity of the electrons.

In case of a very coarse mesh grid, the electrons can pass through the apertures in the grid without coming in so close to the charge on it and a relatively high potential will be required on the grid to control the electron stream, or in other words, the current flowing in the plate circuit.

Referring to Fig. VIII, O-G, is the current that will flow in the plate circuit when there is no potential applied to the grid. Suppose a positive potential as O-I is applied to the grid. The corresponding plate circuit current will be I-D or B-D, more than it was when the grid had no potential applied to it.

A negative potential of O-H is now applied to the grid where O-H is equal in value to O-I, but opposite in sign. The application of the negative potential when applied to the grid will cause the plate current to be reduced to a value I-C or A-C, less than it was when there was no potential applied to the grid. So it is seen that a negative potential when applied to the grid does not reduce the plate circuit current as much as the same positive potential increased the plate circuit current. This irregular conductivity of the tube is made use of when the tube is used as a detector or rectifier of radio signals.

The incoming radio signal is a high frequency alternating current. Let us apply an alternating difference of potential whose maximum positive value is equal to O-I and whose maximum negative value is equal to O-H, to the grid of the three-electrode tube whose characteristic curve is the same as that shown in Fig. VIII. In Fig. IX is shown the alternating difference of potential applied to the grid. Through the first quarter of a cycle, from zero at J to a maximum negative value at K, equal to O-H, the plate circuit current will vary from O-G, its value at P when no grid potential is applied to a value at Q equal to H-C.

During the next quarter of a cycle the grid potential changes from a maximum negative value at K to zero at L. The corresponding values of plate circuit current are shown by the portion of the plate current curve Q-R.

During the next or third quarter of a cycle the applied grid potential increases from zero at L to a maximum positive value at M, equal to O-I, and causes the plate circuit to increase from I-B, its value when the plate potential is zero, to I-D, an increase in plate current equal to B-D.

During the remaining fourth quarter of a cycle as the applied grid potential varies from a maximum positive value at M to zero at N, the plate circuit current varies from a value S to T.

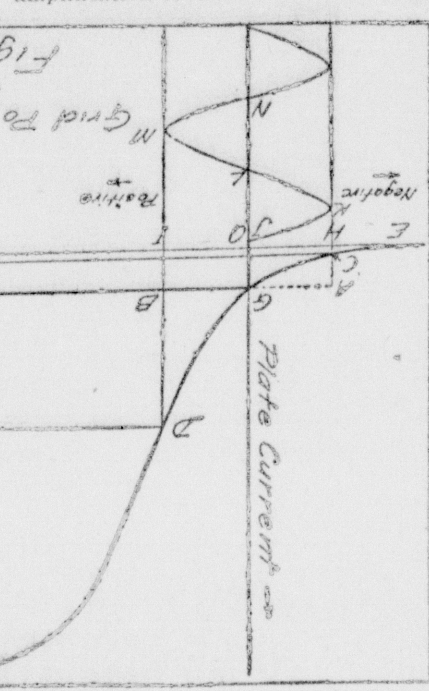
Assuming that the characteristic curve as shown in Fig. VIII and Fig. IX was with a potential of 40 volts on the plate, then, if the plate current is to be reduced to zero by a variation of plate voltage—with no potential applied to the grid—the plate voltage must be reduced to zero or a reduction of 40 volts must be made.

If the 40 volts is maintained on the plate and a negative potential of E-O is applied to the grid, it will reduce the current to zero.

Suppose O-E represents five volts. It can be seen then that a change of five volts in grid potential will accomplish the same result that 40 volts will in the plate circuit. The ratio of the voltage change in the plate current is called the factor of the tube and is denoted by the letter "K."

In the tube just discussed the amplification factor would be 40 divided by five or eight. The amplification factor of the tubes available for amateur use at present is usually between 4 and 10. The amplification factor is a function of the dimensions and relative positions of the elements in the tube.

An incoming radio frequency alternating current applied to the grid of a three-electrode vacuum tube is not only rectified but the variation in the plate is multiplied by "K," the amplification factor of the tube. This



makes the three-electrode vacuum tube the most sensitive detector available.

In actual tubes the point "G" on the characteristic curves as shown in Fig. VIII and Fig. IX may not fall on such a point of the curve that symmetrical changes in grid potential will cause a symmetrical change in plate current, starting with zero potential on the grid.

If it then becomes necessary to apply a constant potential to the grid by means of a battery in the grid circuit, called the "C" battery to maintain the grid at such a point on the characteristic curve that symmetrical changes in grid potential will cause the maximum symmetrical current to flow in the plate circuit.

Big Ships' Radio.

The radio equipment of the ships Paris and Lafayette is described in a recent issue of Radioelectricity. On both steamers a five-kilowatt tube transmitter has been installed with a wave range of between 2,000 and 9,000 meters. A five-kilowatt motor-generator set is used to produce the plate-high tension for four rectifying and four oscillatory tubes, and the low voltage current for the heating of the filament of these tubes. Both vessels are equipped with a radio range-finder, or "radio goniometer," which, reduced to plain English, means a radio compass.

A distance of 3,400 kilometers has been covered safely by messages sent from the transmitter of the Paris.

Radio for Animal Training.

Experiments with the radiophone as an aid in animal training are to be made at the Hippodrome, New York city, by George Power, trainer of the elephants, to determine whether it will be possible for his big pets at some future date to execute his orders on the stage while the trainer himself is absent.

Professor Bell a Radio Fan.

Finding the telephone, his own invention, a source of annoyance to him, Alexander Graham Bell had it removed from his home. With the radiophone there is a difference, it seems, for Mr. Bell, now seventy-five years old, is said never to tire of "listening in" and experimenting with the new device. There are few more ardent enthusiasts, declare his friends.

RADIO DON'TS

Don't expect the circuit to oscillate with equal strength over a great range if you tune the grid circuit with capacity alone. Keep the ratio of L to C as near constant as possible while tuning.

Don't expect a circuit to oscillate if the natural period of the tickler circuit is equal to the natural period of the grid circuit.

Don't place the tickler or plate variometer right against the grid coil or a change in the plate circuit will detune the grid circuit.

Don't expect high impedance tubes to oscillate freely in a circuit designed for low impedance tubes.

Don't discard a regenerative receiver until you have tried more than one detector tube.

Don't forget that a soft gaseous tube is the best detector, and that a hard tube is the best oscillator.

Don't treat inductance coils with shellac or any other varnish or compound that will absorb moisture.

TIRE PRICES LOWEST IN HISTORY—DEALERS PUSH CORDS

At the beginning of the four months season when motorists purchase their bulk of tires, the consensus of opinion of local dealers in automobile accessories, interviewed, is that tire prices are lowest in history and that cord tires are gradually replacing those made of fabric.

Twelve months from today, C. M. Ladd, local dealer, predicts, cord tires will have replaced all fabrics with the exception, possibly, of a few used as small clinchers. Through the hot summer months, Mr. Ladd said, tires deteriorate on the hot roads much faster than when it is cooler. Consequently, from now until October sales will be of greater volume and this year the motorist is "in clover" for prices are lower than ever in the history of the tire business. A good tire may now be bought in the smaller sizes for eight dollars up to \$27.50, it is said.

In the slump of business that took place ten years ago, prices declined to nearly the present level, but it is pointed out that the tire of today is of superior value to the tire of yesterday. Ten years back, it is claimed, the tires did not give the service they do today because of inferior workmanship and faulty material used in their making.

Amusement Highlighted

The tire a decade ago was a source of annoyance to drivers because of the low mileage and the constant vulcanizing necessary, dealers point out. To day long tours are taken across the continent with half the annoyance the motorist of yesterday contended with in a five hundred mile trip. Good roads, of course, constitute a factor which is important.

Examination of a fabric and cord tire shows to even a novice the marked difference in the construction. The

cord tire is made up of layers of sea island cotton vulcanized together. This comparatively soft material does not stand the punishment it receives on rough roads. On the other hand, the cord tire is made up of hard, twisted cords put together in layers, one layer running diagonal to the length of the tire, another parallel, and all vulcanized together.

M. B. Alban of the Service Auto Supply company is showing a used puncture proof tire that has worn down to the last cord layer after miles and miles of usage. He also has on display boards filled with spikes over which tires are driven when being given a torture test. For long lived tires a Boston merchant holds the record of 39,000 miles on a set of royal cords.

Trade Is Local

W. W. Bennett of Bennett and Rogers remarks that few tourists buy tires while passing through Vernon because they are wise enough to equip themselves with good tires before leaving home. Most of the local trade comes from motorists in Wilbarger county, says Mr. Bennett.

Dealers anticipate a brisk business this fall on account of the crop outlook. Most of them state that the last two weeks have witnessed the best business since last fall.

Local dealers are strongly in favor of a free camp ground for tourists.

"Not because we sell oil and gasoline, for they will buy that anyway, but because of the fact that it gives the town a 'black eye' to the passer by," is the sentiment expressed. "Tourists say 'Pass up Vernon, they don't accommodate us,—go on to the town that thinks enough of us to contribute a little toward our comfort.' Vernon is discriminated against because of its lack of facilities."

AT THE VERNON THEATRE.

Monday and Tuesday, July 3 and 4 Douglas Fairbanks in "The Three Musketeers."

Wednesday, Wichita Falls booster film made of Vernon citizens.

On the biggest motion picture stage ever constructed, Douglas Fairbanks made his edulibold version of Dumas' immortal story, "The Three Musketeers," prepared for the screen by Edward Kniblock and directed by Fred Niblo who also directed Mr. Fairbanks in "The Mark of Zorro."

The first shots taken were of the Queen's boudoir, the set for which was erected on "Stage No. 6" which is the largest motion picture stage ever built, and which is located in Hollywood, Calif.

All of the feminine players, ge-

ously costumed, appeared in these first scenes. They include Mary MacLaren in the part of queen Anne of Austria; Marguerite De La Motte, as Constance; Barbara La Marr, characterizing Milady, and all of the ladies in waiting.

The Queen's room is as near the exact reproduction of the famed boudoir as it was humanly possible to make it. Every proportion and detail is historically correct even to the paneling of the walls which was all hand painted with exactly the same pictures that ancient book-cuts indicate graced the walls of this noted chamber.

Both the Brunton studio and the Fairbanks' studio were used in filming the remarkable tale. Between seventy-five and one hundred sets were used in the entire picture, all of them ex-

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act counterparts of the original rooms and buildings they represent.

For action, "The Three Musketeers" excels anything Fairbanks has even done. There are sixteen duels fought, in one of which Fairbanks as D'Artagnan, and the three musketeers engage eight rivals. This feature will be at the Vernon Theatre Monday and Tuesday of next week.

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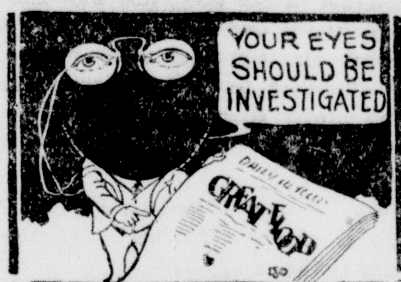
The thoroughness with which the apple is now worked over and utilized by some manufacturers makes it comparable with the packing-house pig that leaves only a futile squeal. The apple is not transformed into such a variety of products as the pig, but all are useful, and when the last of the series has been made hardly a smel' is left.

In many of the apple using factories the apples are first pressed to produce cider, which may be sold as such or may be manufactured into vinegar. After thorough pressing the pomace is treated with hot water to remove the pectin, which, after purification, is sold in either liquid or solid form to manufacturers of jellies and similar products and to housewives. The much wasted and squeezed residue is dried, ground and sold as cattle feed-

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STATE COMMISSIONER GIVES RULING ON PUBLIC WEIGHERS LAW.

"The right of private contract is being used to the detriment of both the farmer and the local buyer, the producer of course paying for all such brokerage as a result of the system of price setting," according to Chas. E. Baughman, Commissioner of Markets and Farcouses, in an interview given out recently at Austin.

"There is a custom among the shipper, buyers, or exporters, or you might say wholesalers of cotton, to have settlements based on compress weights, and in some instances this system has worked to the point where an actual shortage, or shortage, is agreed upon as between the local buyer-seller and the exporter before the purchase is consummated.

"Under the law, no person is permitted to weigh cotton or any commodity and issue a weight certificate therefor, on which a settlement is based, unless that person be a public weigher, subject of course to the right of private contract, and when any person other than the agent of either buyer or seller is the weigher of the commodity, and issues the receipt therefor, the transaction is in violation of the law, except he be a public weigher, or except that public warehousemen, who are bonded may issue a public warehouse receipt for cotton on data the storage charges therefor begin or become operative.

Must Be Public Weigher

"In other words, where cotton has been sold by a local dealer and it is shipped for compression, the compress weigher, unless he be a public weigher, cannot under any condition issue any kind of a weight certificate on which any settlement of accounts is affected, and on the other hand, if the weigher be a public weigher, and he shall at the instance of the buyer and seller, or either of them, issue a weight certificate and state thereon other than the true weight of the cotton, he becomes liable to prosecution, and subject to removal from office. If any dockage, therefore, is made it must be made a matter of interest only to the buyer and seller and they would be prohibited from making any changes in the figures or items appearing upon the certificate.

"Even where there be a positive understanding between buyer and seller that there be a dockage, and when both may be present when cotton is weighed, the public weigher is forbidden to place any weight other than the full true weight on the certificate.

"This Department," continued Mr. Baughman, "has received numerous complaints along this line, and we expect to use our powers to see that the public weigher laws are respected and obeyed, and where possible, and where we have a right by virtue of these laws, to put a stop to the promiscuous dockage of cotton where it is done to the detriment of the farmer and local buyer.

Are Not Eligible.

"Persons in the employ of compresses, receiving a salary, who are not public weighers, and who actually weigh cotton and issue therefor a weight sheet against cotton not tendered for warehousing, where said weight sheet is to serve as a basis of settlement for the value or price of the cotton, are warned to cease such weighing, except that they be public weighers.

"The mere fact that there is no direct charge made for weighing the cotton does not suffice because the weigher, if not a duly elected or appointed and qualified public weigher, is making a charge for such weighing, and this charge is paid in the way of daily, weekly, monthly or annual wage. And too, the mere fact that the exporter buyer of the cotton may own in person the compress, where the compress is operated as a compress, his agent, unless he be a public weigher, would have the right to weigh and charge for weighing where the owner was conducting a cotton buying business per se."

Postpone Club Meeting

The regular meeting of Wilbarger County Federation of Clubs has been postponed from June 28 to July 3 and will be held at 5 p. m. at the home of the president, Mrs. A. N. Vernon of W. Paradise street.

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ROBERT HOUSSELS—A MAN.

The following article, written by Rev. C. A. Waterfield, pastor of the Methodist church in Vernon, contains such a fitting tribute to an individual widely known in Wilbarger county, and has pleased its sentiment in so admirable terms, that The Record feels privileged in reproducing it from the Texas Christian Advocate for the pleasure of its readers.

A dewdrop, we are scientifically told, being a complete sphere reflects the universe. When a good man, appears he mirrors human life. A reasonable, radiant, right man, he brings along the solutions to all our problems and is himself with arms folded the sufficient answer to all our questions.

Seventy years ago Robert Houssels, straight from Germany, touched his feet to this wide new world with nothing but his boyish budget of clothes in his hand, the experience of his boyish seventeen years on his face and the exact and useful trade of a tanner in his head.

When the currents of life in the new country had swept him on from New York to New Orleans, and back in the big city to St. Louis, it was with twenty-five cents in his pocket that he fell in with a tanner from Tennessee. Hardly could there have been found a place east of the Mississippi River more obscure than there at that old tannery on the banks of Jack Creek some miles from where it empties into the Tennessee river in the poor hills of Perry county. This boy after having engaged himself to the tanner on the river docks had come back and spent his quarter, so that it was literally as a penniless and a friendless stranger he began his long life so signally to be marked in the making of both friends and money. And the near nine decades of his life under such vast and manifold changes has been an epic in character as it has been patriarchal in length.

When the youth Robert Houssels set foot on American soil at New York, though himself a product of the best old German industry and discipline before these had missed their goal and lost their soul in the military madness, he became by a veritable new birth a free and free American. He secured his naturalization papers before he was of age. He never spoke German in his home. And he never returned nor wished to return to the old land.

In subscription to the government through the great war he led his city, gave his thousand to the Red Cross, and though of singularly deep and affectionate attachments eagerly sent the daily papers for all the big news and prayed for the victory of the Allies over his own blood. It was not the noisy sentiment of a mystic brass band patriotism. It was a deep and righteous persuasion having its roots in the inviolated moral convictions of near ninety years of straight thinking, clear dealing and useful living. A former favorite pastor declared him to have been a better American than all but the fewest of those who were American born.

This loyalty and whole-heartedness was the hub of the man's whole life.

The first and certain effect of it was a mind kept clear strikingly free from the false affections of vanity and self-advertising.

Not all the light of the heavens by night issues from the stars that are visible to us. There are celestial bodies so distant and so splendid that their outer rays pour into our field of vision though they themselves remain undiscovered. The upper fields of the New Testament revelation likewise are made radiant with the lustre of many nameless and unknown friends, who have the orbits of their lives about the Master, but who appear only in the excellence of their shining deeds or words. The centurion whose unexpected faith surpassed all; the alien mother pleading and winning for her daughter over the barriers of race; the thief that shared the torment of the Cross and won the promise of Paradise—what a starlight of nameless nobility! And how heartening it is to know that with all the practical uses of organized publicity in our modern years, the Lord has yet hosts of faithful servants who are content to give the quiet light of their lives to gladden his world.

Besides the quality of soundness and

modesty, there came on the goodness and gallantry of his household affections, not here to be portrayed the instinct for sound and large business, the keen sense of human need, the firm, definite carrying power of his moral influence, and his unaffected and fundamental reverence of spirit. But these were only the outcroppings of the royal quality of the hidden man Roman loyalty, however, is at its need an inadequate thing. Many of these finer old-fashioned Germanisms with strong intelligence, as good a trade and perhaps as loyal a spirit, came here in those same changeful years, built their homes, reared their families and made their fortunes only to leave it all presently in the dust and ashes of a short-sighted and a short-lived materialism. "A man's religion is the chiefest thing with regard to him."

Mr. Houssels had been confirmed in the Lutheran Church before leaving Germany. But the formal rite of confirmation had meant little in the making of the man. Rather it was to him a part of that rigid exterior regulation from which he had made his escape through emigration.

But the piety and breath of the religious life were in him. And his wife who yet survives him, was a rare country girl of the Perry hills, an American Christian and a Methodist. In the early days of their long life together that part of Tennessee lay in the path of the pioneer circuit rider. Out of an always most delicate consideration for her and a fine sense of the higher things, he honored her faith and received her prayers with a generous hospitality. It is little short of an embarrassment to one of us now to hear her relate the story of his reaction to their horses, as it is a living challenge of the good faith of us all, that way he had, when the herald of the gospel had been fed and rested of helping him to remount and bidding him goodbye with a ten dollar bill still fully left in the palm of his hand. It is not known whether the wandering brethren, after the manner of a certain other class of modern journeymen, marked the gate or blazed the path to his house; but it is surely no hard thing to fancy how his residence came to be known and remembered as "the preacher's home."

Robert Houssels heard the sermons, knew the songs, breathed the associations of this church in the wilderness; gave the lumber for its erection; he gave he had entered its membership. But it was all far more than a matter of conventional opinion and noisy reiteration. His spiritual processes, as with all finer natures, ran deeper than definitions and had their sources in the larger truth which is felt more than it can ever be defined. The quality of his experience was rather that of Tolstol: "I cannot find Him; I cannot comprehend Him; but I always know the direction toward Him."

But the sincerity and cumulative power of the American pioneer faith was upon the man. And when he saw his little daughter pass down the aisle to the altar of hope and consecration it was as the yielding of the pent-up rivers in the spring time and the always aspiring man broke through the mystery of godliness and gave his soul to the God of that mystery. It is a tender and noble picture of him years afterward here in the memory of a neighbor who found him one day out under a tree in the churchyard apart from the revival crowd pouring out his heart in a quiet ecstasy of spiritual emotion.

Then came on more years, and more children, nine in all, and more responsibility, together with that best of it all, the steady increase of fine power to live the life that becometh the gospel. Against the recklessness, the irresponsibility and the confusion of those earlier days who can measure what a gift of God was such a man to such a land?

His wealth increased; he became and remained till death the head of his bank.

His good deeds, unostentatious as sunshine, multiplied and fell like showers on the place beneath. From assuming the total burial expenses of

a fallen neighbor to the setting of a young business man on his feet and then tearing up his note of indebtedness; from the most constant and gallant regard to the comfort and happiness of his own household to the secret of a wagonload of supplies to a widow and her children and on to the largest liberality in the war to make the world safe for democracy he sowed the seeds of kindness and led the way in service.

A further staggered under the purchase of his land followed by a long, heart-breaking drought; a woman, became with her two orphan children to take the conduct of a hotel; the times were bitter for both. But in the one case as in the other, and as in innumerable others, there was a bit more than banking; and it was Robert Houssels who had the eye to see it.

A worn preacher walked the street one day wan from overwork in his summer meetings and meager support. But there was one more meeting not on his calendar. Mr. Houssels met him and remarked, "You are not looking so well; you'd better come and go with me to Colorado." "Why, Brother Houssels, nothing could be finer, but it is impossible—financially." "That is not your part of it. You just pack your grip and meet me at the train tomorrow."

Now this sort of thing kept on at home and abroad, on the right hand and on the left, comes to be dynamic. Virtue goes forth from such a soul. The shadow of a good man in the street falling on the sick thought of the selfish world is a medicine. The tonic fragrance of his pocket handkerchief

may be more potent than the pockets of ordinary men.

So came the wise and fine-faced German lad. So he loved and wrought through all his long, long day. And so his goodness increased with the increasing years, till his character became a touchstone of right dealing in business and his name a banner of all that is best in living.

Where in the universe can be the home of such a soul save with the God of all his good life?

"In God and godlike men
We build our trust."

A certain actor who shall be nameless here but who has been known for his matrimonial adventures, one day approached a physician and asked for a thorough physical examination.

"I want to see that I'm fit for a good many years yet, doc," he said. "You know I'm to be married again soon, for the fifth time?"

"H-m," mumbled the examiner as he put the stethoscope to the actor's heart. "Of course this fifth lady is the only girl in the world for you, and this is positively your last matrimonial venture?"

"Oh, come, doctor," cried the thespian much alarmed. "I'm not as bad off as that am I?"

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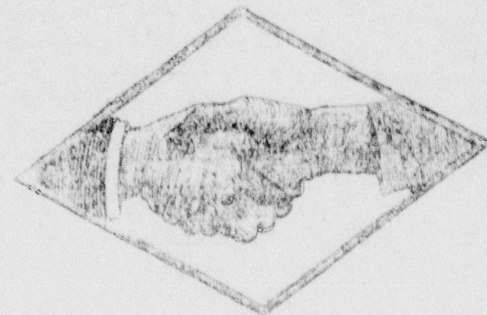
Magistrate: "So madam, you broke an umbrella over your husband's head?" Defendant: "It was purely an accident, sir."

Magistrate: "How in the world could it have been an accident?" Defendant: "Why, your honor, I had

n't the slightest intention of breaking the umbrella."

Kemper An Honor School

Boonville, Mo., June 21.—(Special to The Record.)—Word has been received from the War Department at Washington that the Kemper Military school of this city has been designated as one of the ten honor schools of the United States as a result of of the recent annual inspection. Vernon boys who attended Kemper last session were C. M. Batchelor, T. Gibbs and R. T. Lutz. Mr. Lutz was a cadet lieutenant.



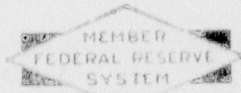
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Vernon, Texas, Tuesday, June 26, 1922.

Congressional, District and County
Election.

Candidate for Congress 13th District:

GUINN WILLIAMS, Wise County

Candidate For District Judge:

(Subject to action of Democratic Pri-
mary.)

M. M. HANKINS, Quanah, Harde-

man county.

ROBERT COLE, of Crowell.

JAMES V. LEAK, Hall County.

O. T. WARLICK

Wilbarger County

W. G. GROSS, Childress County.

Candidate For District Attorney:

A. C. NICHOLSON

For Justice of Peace, Prec. No. 1:

T. J. GRIFFITHS

W. B. HOLLARS

Candidate For County Tax Collector:

MRS. D. J. (MYRTLE C.) WIL-

HELM.

N. P. WHITESIDE of Tolbert.

C. M. BLAIR (Re-election)

GILFORD MCCARROLL

For County Tax Assessor:

S. E. PORTERFIELD (2nd term)

I. LEE BRYANT

Candidate For County Clerk:

J. W. BROCK, Jr.

VERNA LUCKY, (Re-election.)

For Sheriff Wilbarger County:

W. A. ISH (Re-election)

FRANK EDMONSON

R. H. (Bob) BRATTON

For District Clerk:

C. A. KICHIE

For County Superintendent:

L. A. HOLLAR (Re-election)

For Public Weigher:

M. L. WALKER

J. L. (JOE) SNEED (Re-election)

W. W. GILBERT

E. D. (Ed) VAUGHN

M. T. (Minor) HAVIS

A. PAUL CASTLEBERRY

J. G. BRYANT.

For County Treasurer:

W. C. ALDERMAN, (Re-election)

ARTHUR IVY

For County Judge:

E. L. McILUGH (Re-election.)

For County Attorney:

JOHN A. STOREY, (Re-election)

O. O. McCURDY

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1:

A. M. BOURLAND (Re-election)

R. J. BYARS

For County Commissioner Precinct 2:

W. G. McDONALD

DR. J. L. TULL

O. A. McCALEB (Re-election)

For County Commissioner, precinct 3:

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STERLING STRONG WITHDRAWS

The withdrawal of Sterling P. Strong from the race for United States Senate suggests that there is yet time enough for changes that will vitally affect the result of the final count of ballots. This does not necessarily mean that any great number of votes have been released by the withdrawal, but rather that the removal of Strong may pave the way for the centralization of certain factional votes. It is known that effort was made earlier in the campaign to reach an agreement whereby the vote that Strong, Henry and Mayfield were binding for could be solidified behind some one of the three candidates, and this suggestion is renewed in different form in the statement issued by Mr. Strong in announcing his withdrawal.

The effort of Mr. Strong to throw his support to Mr. Henry is the part of the statement that is attracting greatest attention, because of the fact that the two men have differed widely on important issues of the past. Even the closest friends of Mr. Strong, and he has many, were not prepared for this violent outburst of praise. "As we see it, Mr. Henry is the only candidate for those who want clean government and righteousness to prevail."

In his statement Mr. Strong makes mention of only three of the candidates for the high office of United States Senator. His attacks upon Cullen Thomas and Earle B. Mayfield are of an important nature because personalities are introduced for the first time. The retiring candidate paid his respects to the attitude of Cullen Thomas on prohibition and his record as county attorney of McLean county and to Mayfield's career as a state senator.

Mr. Strong made no mention of candidates Cullerson, Ousley and Ferguson in his retiring statement.

TEXAS HIGHWAY ASSOCIATION

With the association composed of the most active leaders in the highway movement and its chief purpose that of obtaining a more comprehensive and a better connected system of highways, the Texas Highway Association, organized at Waco in May, gives promise of development into an organization that is capable of rendering real service to the people of Texas.

The program of activities at a meeting of the directors this week suggests that the first big task that confronts the association is one of education. The people must first come to realize the true situation with reference to highway conditions if they are to be depended upon to lend their aid in removing obstacles that stand in the way of highway construction. A lack of community co-operation, probable unequal distribution of state and federal aid and the numerous designations of overlapping trails may have served to choke the enthusiasm of the citizenship for road building in certain communities, but the newly formed association plans to come to the aid of the various communities in an effort to revive this enthusiasm to the end that Texas will experience a new era in road building and that the roads built will link up a new system of highways that will serve a useful purpose.

The Highway Association may also serve a useful purpose as a connecting link between the Texas Highway department and the people who pay the bills.

THE DECEMBER POULTRY SHOW

The effort now being made by the Wilbarger County Poultry Association to secure a sufficient amount of financial backing to enable it to stage a poultry show next December in keeping with the importance and magnitude of the great industry which this association represents is worthy of the united support of the entire business interest of Vernon.

In his address before the Vernon Rotary club last Tuesday, Adam Donges, president of the local association, asserted that Hale county had marketed last year over \$1,500,000 in chickens, eggs and turkeys. From the best available source it has been determined that Wilbarger county's annual revenue from these fowls and their product does not exceed \$250,000, probably less than one-sixth of the amount enjoyed by the plains county from the same industry.

This fact, within itself, offers sufficient argument to convince any business man in Vernon that, not only will the advancement of the poultry business in this county materially increase the wealth of the community and indirectly benefit his private interest, but it is also conclusive evidence that the poultry industry here has been neglected. Indifference on the part of many towards this line of business in the past is no doubt due to their lack of knowledge concerning its vast importance as a revenue bearer.

Those who are in a position to know whereof they speak are emphatic in their contention that Wilbarger is ideally situated with reference to season, soil, and climate for the successful development of the poultry business, and that its citizens will be asleep on the job if they fail to lend every practical aid to its advancement.

The startling increase in local sales

of incubators, chick feed, and other supplies and equipment incident to the poultry business has thoroughly demonstrated the practical value of the poultry show here last year. Vernon should give the proposed show for next December the support it justly deserves.

Visitors passing this way, and there are thousands of them at this season of the year, are pleased to refer to Vernon as the "Queen City of the South Plains." Many are so favorably impressed with appearances of our town and community that they stop over for a day and as a consequence spend money with our merchants. With adequate camping grounds the number of "stop overs" could be greatly increased.

Now that the Attorney General's department at Austin has held such action legal the Democratic Executive committee will probably allow Mrs. Marian A. Ferguson, wife of James E. Ferguson to withdraw her name as a candidate for the United States Senate. Mrs. Ferguson became a candidate when it was intimated that the executive committee would not permit the name of her husband to go on the ticket.

If President Harding is in earnest about the claim that "four years in the White House would be about all he could endure" he probably will find some other good Republican who will volunteer to relieve him as standard bearer and it is safe to say that one or two Democrats would be willing to make the necessary sacrifices in order that the nation have a chief executive.

PEACH CANNING RECIPES

The following recipes, for canning peaches, have been furnished The Record by the home demonstration agent and are considered of especial significance for Wilbarger households in view of the fact that peach canning is being carried on in many homes at present.

Peaches, (Cane Sugar)—Recipe A
Take firm, ripe peaches, place in wire basket or square of cheese cloth, branch by lowering for 15 minutes into water below boiling point (about 180 degrees F.) Dip into cold water after blanching to make firm.

Peel, stone and pack in jars and cover with a syrup made by boiling together 1 3/8 pounds of cane sugar to 1 quart of water. Process 15 minutes. Use quart jars if No. 3 cans are used, they should be exhausted 3 minutes.

Peach Standards
A No. 3 can should have at least 1 pound and 5 ounces solids and 11 ounces liquid, should contain between 10 and 12 halves of peaches. The net weight of contents must not be less than 12 ounces.

Peaches Lye Peeling.
If properly used, peeling with a hot lye solution is not injurious and is more economical and sanitary.
Place the peaches in scalding water for 20 seconds to blister or scald the surface. They are then dipped into boiling lye solution for 20 seconds. The lye solution should contain about 1-4 pound of concentrated lye to each gallon of water. From this solution they are dipped into a second bath of about 1-9 pound of lye to a gallon of water. The fruit is then sprayed thoroughly with water, or washed through at least four waters, to remove all traces of lye and the peels owing to the variation in the strength of lye

obtainable, a small amount of solution should be made and tested before the season opens.

Peach Marmalade
Ripe fruit may be used for this:
2-14 pounds sliced peaches.
1 pound of sugar.
6 whole allspice.
1 cracked peach seed.
1 inch piece of ginger root.
1-2 cup of peach juice.
1 teaspoon whole cloves.
1 teaspoon of cinnamon bark.
1 teaspoon of sprig mace.
Cook all together until thick as marmalade and clear (temperature of 220 degrees F.) Pack hot in hot jars and seal at once. If this is done quickly, having everything very hot, a good seal should result. However, when packing for market, it is far safer to process this jam, both to insure sterilization and a tight seal.

Peach Butter
Ripe fruit may be used for this.

STORIES OF
GREAT INDIANS
By Elmo Scott Watson

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CHIEF BLACK HAWK, THE PATRIOT OF THE SACS

WHEN the Eighty-sixth division went overseas in 1918, they bore on the left shoulder of their uniforms insignia showing a black hawk rampant on a shield of red. Thus the "Black Hawk Division" carried into battle once more the emblem of one of the greatest fighting men from their native soil—Chief Black Hawk (Ma-katawinesheka'kua) of the Sacs and Foxes. Illinois pioneers, grandfathers of some of these men, had called him a "bloodthirsty savage," but his own people looked upon him as a patriot who defended his country against unjust aggression.

Black Hawk's war in 1832 was caused by a dispute over the terms of a treaty removing the Sacs and Foxes to a reservation in Iowa. When the government failed to keep its agreement to provide them with corn in place of the crops they had abandoned in Illinois, Black Hawk recrossed the Mississippi to "steal corn from our own fields," as the old chief said, bitterly.

Governor Reynolds called out the militia to repel these "invaders" and later federal troops were sent to subdue the Sacs. After several fierce battles the Indian resistance was broken and Black Hawk's warriors scattered. The chief fled to the Winnebagoes for refuge. On August 27, 1833, he walked into General Street's headquarters at Prairie du Chien, Wis., to surrender.

"Farewell my nation!" said Black Hawk as he gave himself up. "Black Hawk tried to save you and avenge your wrongs. He drank the blood of some of the whites, he has been taken prisoner and his plans stopped. He can do no more. His sun is setting and will rise no more. Farewell to Black Hawk!"

He was held for two months a prisoner of war at Fortress Monroe, Va., and then was returned to his people in Iowa. There another humiliation awaited him. Keokuk, his bitterest enemy and the leader of the peace faction of the Sacs, had been elevated to the head chieftainship. Black Hawk's proud heart was broken by this blow.

He died October 3, 1838. But even then the whites did not allow him to rest in peace. A doctor desecrated his grave and carried the skeleton back to Illinois. Eventually the bones of the great chief were restored to his sons and they placed them for safekeeping in the collections of an Iowa historical museum. In 1855 fire destroyed the building, leaving to his people nothing but the memory of their great chief.

Peel, stone and weigh the fruit. Cook slowly in porcelain-lined kettle. Mash and stir the peaches until perfectly smooth, then press through a fine sieve. Add 3-4 pound of sugar for each pound of fruit and boil until light brown in color (temperature of 220 degrees F.) Fill into hot jars while still hot and seal. This product may be sterilized as for marmalade.

Peaches—Sweet Pickles

7 pounds of peaches
4 pounds of sugar
1 pint of vinegar
1-2 ounce of ginger root
1 teaspoonful of ground cloves
2 teaspoonfuls of cinnamon
2 teaspoonfuls of ground mace
Peel the peaches. Tie the slices into two or more muslin bags. Add the peaches and spices to the hot vinegar and sugar and bring to a boil. Set aside for about 72 hours. Drain off liquor. Bring to a boil and pour over peaches. Drain and reboil every day for a week or until the fruit is just covered, then bring the fruit and liquor to a boil; fill jars and seal.

Peach Leather

Peel and mash ripe peaches. Spread in thin sheets on a platter, a clean board or a sheet of glass and dry in the air or in the sun. When dry, roll up as a scroll. Stone as dried peaches. Soak to restore freshness. Cook and use for fruit rolls and other desserts.
Peach butter or peach marmalade may be dried in the same manner and used as a confection or in desserts.

DARK COOKIES.

The following recipe on dark cookies, submitted by Mrs. C. M. Blair, won first prize at the Vernon Free Cooking School.

One egg, one and one-fourth cups of sugar, one-fourth cup Crisco or butter, one-fourth cup sour milk, one-fourth teaspoon of soda, one-half teaspoon baking powder, one-half teaspoon vanilla, four teaspoons cocoa, one-fourth teaspoon of salt, sufficient flour to make a soft dough.
Mix and roll out about one-fourth inch thick, cut out and place in slightly greased pans not too close together, brush over with sweet milk and place one raisin or two currants in center of each and bake a light brown.

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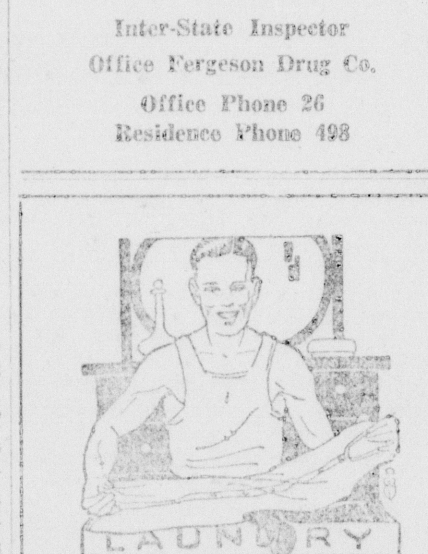
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WILBARGER COUNTY NEWS

RAYLAND

Rayland, June 27.—(By special correspondence.)—Miss Nina Newman has been quite ill the past week.

Mrs. Conrad's family is suffering from small pox.

Miss Laura and Leatta Jordan were shopping in Vernon last week.

Berry Green went to Vernon the first of last week.

Tom Davis was in Electra last week speaking for the Farm Bureau.

Mr. Crist began threshing his wheat last week.

Mr. Woods made a business trip to Vernon Friday.

Ransom Walker and Budd Cooper of Vernon are in this community.

Mrs. Means has been ill the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Russell, Miss Lela Watson and Irene Jordan spent Saturday and Sunday in Oklahoma with Mrs. Russell's brother-in-law, Oscar Crises.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Lawson and family spent Sunday in Tolbert.

Tom Davis left Sunday for Dallas where he will speak for the Farm Bureau.

Carl Davis and family of Thalia spent Sunday with Tom Davis and family.

Roy McCray, who is working near Crowell, spent Sunday with Walter Lawson.

Mrs. Stanley's mother, Mrs. Warden, who has been visiting with her for some time, returned to her home Monday.

Lee Jordan went to Vernon Monday.

There will be an ice cream supper at Harry White's place for Saturday night. Everybody invited. Proceeds will be given to the church. Ladies of this community are asked to meet at the Baptist church Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

FARGO

Fargo, June 26.—(By special correspondence.)—Most farmers in the community are busy with their harvest and row crops.

The Baptist Sunday school gave an interesting program Sunday on Christian Education.

Mrs. J. T. Murr, who has been visiting in Hot Springs, Ark., returned home last week.

Miss Florence May, who has been

attending the State University at Austin, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Scherer entertained a number of friends with an ice cream supper Saturday night.

Wayne Adams of Sherman is visiting in Fargo.

Miss Hazel Havis of Vernon visited her cousin, Miss Lucile Marr, last week.

Rev. F. D. Pearson will fill his regular appointment at the Baptist church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Davis Bennett May of Vernon visited Mr. and Mrs. D. W. May Sunday.

Dr. A. C. Rogers of Odell and his brother-in-law, Jim Allen Williams of California, visited in Fargo Wednesday.

Mrs. Dan Coffee and Mrs. Charlie Mason visited in Vernon Saturday.

Miss Minnie Crisp visited in Vernon last week and attended the chautauque.

Mrs. W. J. McLaughlin is visiting in Huntsville, Alabama.

Several children in this community have whooping cough.

Miss Lucile Key is visiting in Iowa.

PLEASANT VALLEY

Pleasant Valley, June 26.—(By special correspondence.) W. E. Turner of Odell was in this community Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bell of Onamah have returned home after visiting relatives and friends in this community.

Edward Cook was in Odell Thursday on business.

Mrs. C. M. Kester and Mrs. Ed White motored to Odell Thursday.

The Methodist meeting will start July 19, a large attendance is expected. Ed Turner is visiting in Odell.

RED RIVER

Red River, June 26.—(By special correspondence.)—Robert Hite and wife and two children, little Hazel and Lowell, have returned from Vernon where they visited the past week.

J. C. Johnston was in Odell Friday.

Numbers of young folks from this community enjoyed a party at Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Shaw's home Friday night.

The 3 year old son of Arthur Crowmover was kicked by a mule Friday. The injury was not exceptionally severe.

C. D. Shelton of Odell visited Forest Shelton and wife Friday.

Miss Myrtle Novelle Cook visited in Odell Thursday.

Miss Elizabeth Sears visited in Odell Thursday.

Clifton Cook visited in Odell Thursday.

Dan Sumner of Vernon visited in this community the past week.

FALLS DOWN WELL TO DEATH

Tiny Electra Lad Tumbles Down Ten Inch Hole Sunday Night—Rescuers Fail

Electra, June 26.—Randall Gandy, 4, met death 180 feet below the surface of the earth in the McKenzie well, two miles east of Electra last night, while 5,000 helpless and frantic people vainly tried to rescue him.

The lad had fallen feet first into the hole at 8:30 o'clock. His cries for "daddy and mother" to rescue him were pitiful. The mother lies in a Burk Burnett hospital with an infant unconscious of his fate. The father, Lee Gandy, for hours directed the efforts at rescue.

The water had been bailed from the hole shortly before he fell and the lad, firmly lodged at the bottom of the 10-inch hole, was unable to move as the slowly encroaching waters engulfed his body and snuffed out his life. The last faint cry was heard at 11 o'clock as the water neared his head. At 1:30 o'clock this morning the body was raised with fishhooks. A pulmotor was used without effect. A hip had been crushed in the fall.

Grappling hooks had not been used earlier because of the fear they would mangle the body. A number of young men volunteered and were lowered head first into the hole, but none could reach bottom before becoming lodged.

The lad, with other companions, had been playing in the vicinity of the open hole. A friend of the Gandy family had been talking to him and turned in another direction. Looking backward he had a fleeting glance at the child as he fell feet first into the hole. He immediately gave the alarm and people from every direction responded. Most of the population of Electra was on the scene in a short time.—Fort Worth Star-Telegram.

DR. SUN YAT SEN TAKES CONTROL IN CHINA



Dr. Sun Yat Sen, President of South China government and leader of the South China army, appears to be in control of the situation. He has appointed Wu Tingfang, former minister to America, Premier and has brought about a cessation of hostilities.

WOMEN MAKE BIG SUCCESS IN RAISING PURE BRED SWINE

More than 5,000 women living on farms in the corn belt states are engaged in the live stock industry on a large scale, according to Fred L. Obenchain, Secretary of the National Spotted Poland China Record, Indianapolis, Indiana, who has recently completed a survey covering most of the states located in the great river valley.

Most of these women are engaged in raising hogs and almost invariably they have pure bred herds. The fact that practically all of the farms operated by women raise pure bred stock is typical of the woman, keen business instinct. Not more than two out of every hundred women engaged in farming depend upon scrub farm stock. With the men farmers, the ration all over the country, according to the government census, is one farm in ten on which there can be found pure bred sires.

The women, according to Mr. Obenchain, do not confine themselves to raising fine hogs, but they have gone into the contest with their male competitors and will show herds this fall on practically all the county and state fairs.

A FEW POULTRY POINTERS FOR SUMMER

President Wilbarger County Poultry Association,
By ADAM DONGES

At this season of the year we are having lots of trouble with blue bugs, lice and mites. The poultry mite goes upon the body of the fowl during the night when it is upon the roost. During the day it secretes itself in cracks, crevices, rubbish and so forth. Therefore all rubbish must be removed.

Spray the buildings with a two per cent solution of senoleum and follow this with a coat of whitewash to fill all cracks and to make the next spraying more effective. This is a good method to remove blue bugs, lice and mites where the vermin have greatly impoverished a fowl. When the ver-

min have greatly impoverished a fowl or when the pests remain upon the body of the bird, it is well to resort to dipping.

For this purpose use water which has been warmed to 90 or 95 degrees; add one pint of senoleum to twelve gallons of water; hold the bird in this solution and turn back feathers, making sure that the solution penetrates to the skin, especially under the wings and thighs and about the neck. If the weather is cool or wet, the fowl should be kept under cover until it has dried out. Plenty of medium fine charcoal should be kept before the birds at all times.

state won practically all of the first money in all classes last fall at the State fair. We will soon see a large number of women entered in all classes of live stock exhibitions at our own State fair.

One of the most promising features of the county fair this fall is the fact that the interest of the women has been largely shifted from the canning and embroidery exhibits to the hog, cattle and horse barns.

Will Show At Fairs
"This condition speaks volumes for the advancement of farming in this country," said Mr. Obenchain. "It means that the girl as well as the boy will be kept on the farm. It means that girls and women will find employment and money out on the farm and that there will be a general advancement of farm living conditions."

More than a score of women will exhibit herds at the Indiana, Illinois, Iowa, Nebraska, Minnesota and Texas state fairs. These are among the largest fairs of the country and their presence in the show ring will add a new zest to the game. Hundreds of other women will show at district and county fairs.

Robert West, one of the pioneer Pol and China breeders in northwest Texas, recently announced that there would be a general movement started in this part of the state to interest women in raising pure bred live stock.

Chance To Make Money

"I believe the raising of hogs offers the farm woman her best opportunity to make money," he said. "It means quick returns and the natural increase is a big factor. Pigs farrowed in March can be marketed in the fall at from 225 to 300 pounds. A woman is naturally a better dealer in animal life than a man. I know one woman living in a corn belt state, who marks \$50,000 worth of pure bred hogs every year. Another living in a western

GREAT SYSTEM OF HIGHWAYS PLANNED FOR UNITED STATES

A system of highways that will serve the whole country and will be far superior to any other in the world is being mapped out by Federal and State Engineers. It is estimated that the system will comprise 180,000 miles of road. The Federal highway act recently enacted specifically requires that all Federal aid be spent on a connected system of highways consisting of not more than 7 per cent of the road mileage of each State, and that this system shall consist of interstate or primary roads and intercounty or secondary roads.

Proposed systems have been received by the Bureau of Public Roads of the United States Department of Agriculture from all but eight States. They are plotted on a large map of the United States and carefully examined as to co-ordination with the roads of adjacent States and service to all sections of the country. Where coordination is not satisfactory conferences are held with all interested State highway officials and routes adjusted.

Many States have already adjusted difficult problems with their neighbors. As an example the system sent in by Nebraska showed a big gap in an important road along the northern boundary. It was learned, however, that South Dakota would follow a system that would fill like pictures on toy blocks. Since the Federal highway act of last November became a law, all roads certain to be on the system have been approved for construction.

Farm Specialist Work Growing

Twenty-four northern and western States now have 30 specialists to devote full time to farm management extension work. County agents in 805 counties report that they distributed 51,083 farm account books in 1921-1922; 18,148 books kept, and 444 reported that 8,151 farmers assisted in summarizing their accounts. County agents in 237 counties report that 2,372 farmers made changes in their business as a result of keeping accounts. More than 800 farm account schools, with an attendance of 20,000, were held in 1921-1922. The United States Department of Agriculture reports.

Has Tonsils Removed

Little Annie Carter, daughter of Mrs. J. H. Matthews of Odell, submitted to an operation for removal of her tonsils this morning. It is thought that she will soon be able to be taken home.

All kinds of stock remedies.—Ferguson Drug Co. 11c.

Men, Here's News You've Been Waiting For

OUR ODD PANTS SALE BEGINS THURSDAY MORNING, JUNE 29

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COMMITTEE IS NAMED ON CAMPING GROUND

ROTARY CLUB WILL JOIN WITH
CHAMBER OF COMMERCE IN
UNDERTAKING.

Pledging its hearty co-operation to the movement to procure adequate camping grounds for motor tourists, the Vernon Rotary club at its regular luncheon today named a committee composed of Dick Coffee, Will Lane and Charley Ladd to confer with the directors of the Chamber of Commerce with a view to making definite provisions at the earliest possible moment for the adequate equipment of such grounds. The Rotarians realize the importance of this movement and the entire membership stands ready to put forth its best effort for the success of the undertaking.

George J. Mason was a guest of the club and on invitation told of his visit to Central and East Texas points, making comparison of the conditions found there with the conditions that exist in the South Plains country. Mr. Mason said it was a very comfortable feeling to know that he was back in Vernon, that this is a land of paradise as compared with the weevil infested districts of the central and eastern portions of the state. With the boll weevil playing havoc with the crop Mr. Mason was surprised to find farmers and business men sitting idly by without putting forth any effort to combat the weevil in its crusade of destruction. He declared that crop prospects in the Vernon district would compare favorably with the crop conditions found in any of the sections visited.

J. A. Dixon was another visitor who addressed the club. Mr. Dixon is back from a business trip through Oklahoma and North Texas, and he was very emphatic in proclaiming the many virtues of the South Plains as compared with other sections of the state. In the course of his talk, he took occasion to congratulate the club for its splendid work in urging a more adequate camping grounds for tourists in order that Vernon may reap the greatest benefit from being advantageously located on the cross country highways. He expressed the hope that the club would keep the good work going until Vernon had provided "stop over" quarters that would tempt all tourists who pass this way to spend a night or day here. He declared it proved a splendid medium for advertising the city and county resources.

Electrified Chickens On This Farm.

What he called an "intensified chicken house," was described recently before the Royal Society of Arts in London by T. Thorne Baker. Following is a brief resume of the description from the Illustrated London News:

"On the poultry farm of Mr. Randolph Meech at Poole there is an intensified chicken house. This was electrified, the current being applied for ten minutes during every hour of the day. Out of a total of 400 only six chickens died, a mortality of 1.5 per cent, as compared with a mortality under ordinary conditions which in summer months may be as high as 50 per cent. The electrified chickens were ready for the market in five weeks instead of three months. Their vitality under electricity was remarkable. They were so highly charged with electricity during the treatment that one received a distinct shock on touching one of them, although the birds themselves showed no signs of anything unusual. If a bird pecked at a finger sparks flew from its beak."

BLINDNESS LED ATTORNEY TO A GREAT CAREER



John D. W. Bodfish, one of the foremost attorneys in Massachusetts and candidate for Attorney General met with an accident when a young man that blinded him. He gave up the principalship of a school and retired to a lonely Cape Cod farm, where he studied law alone and became a leading lawyer.

FERGUSON DENIES TIRADE AGAINST RESERVE SYSTEM

(Continued from page 1.)

gold he said lies in the United States treasury.

"As a result of this action in making the people pay," he said, "there is a huge amount of gold in the treasury. I would put 750 millions of dollars of this aside and issue three billion in gold certificates. I'd rather have fifty cents to spend occasionally than a gold dollar which I can just read about in the papers."

"I would then take two out of the three billions and pay a bonus to the soldiers. The other billion I would use in paying the expenses of government. The entire process could be carried out in six months, and values would be restored."

"There will be no permanent prosperity until we take away from the money grabbers the right to control

our money. We need a law making it a penitentiary offense to charge more than six per cent for interest. The interest charging evil is growing. Our banks today are charging interest on thirty-seven and one-half billions of dollars."

Condemns "Rent Hogs"

Mr. Ferguson then entered into a condemnation of what he termed "rent hogs," and asked what inducement the tenant farmer had to improve his condition. He blamed the non-progressive landowners of Texas' black land section to the greediness of the landlords. He remarked that the legislature appropriates only two and a half millions for the rural schools, and then speaks of the "sorry tenant" whom it has thus legislated for.

One-sixth of every dollar in Texas revenue, the candidate asserted, goes to pay the expenses of the university and of Texas A. and M. The result, he said, is mechanics who want work and farmers who want farm; the fin-

ished products are but highbrows who smoke cigarettes.

"I do not envy a man a college education if he wants it," said the former governor. "My six opponents are holding up theirs and declaring how elite they are for possessing them. I am proud I do not have one and wouldn't have one."

"Those who get something for nothing want work. We educate our doctors free at the university, and then they charge us five dollars for a visit when they start practicing."

Defends Unions.

In defense of labor unions, Mr. Ferguson pointed out that labor has done no more to protect its interests than have other lines of endeavor. He characterized the banking clearing houses as banks unions and asserted that the association of railway owners is nothing more than a union.

"Farmers must realize that their interests lie with the labor unions," the candidate asserted. "If labor takes

less for its work, the farmer takes less for his product. Furthermore, labor will be moving to the farms and offering competition. I am for the closed shop from start to finish."

Mr. Ferguson commenced his discussion of the liquor question by pointing out the huge expense of the government of enforcing prohibition. He explained that part of the agents are "too thick with the bootleggers" and that a special corp of sleuths is necessary to keep a check on fellow workers.

Plan To Oust Bootlegger.

"With a regulated liquor traffic we can put a tax on this product," said the speaker, "and through competition can put the bootlegger out of business. It is a cold blooded proposition. Herefore prohibition politicians have been leading us, but we should have the one and one-half billions each year that the government is losing."

"When the Democratic convention at San Francisco considered the installation of a dry plan in its platform, there

was 100,000 worth of liquor drunk by the delegates present. I find that in my stand for light wines and liquors I have distinguished company. On the one side there is Woodrow Wilson and James E. Ferguson, and on the other my six opposing candidates and 65,000 bootleggers."

The former governor closed his address with a comparison of his qualities with those of his opponents. He pleaded again for removal of the stigma attached to him and his family through having been removed from office.

THINKS GAP IMPORTANT

Resident On W. Wilbarger Street Regards Possibility of No Paying Being Laid

"I would certainly regret the possibility of an unimproved gap of road stretching from the end of city pavement on W. Wilbarger to where the county will commence its work. There is a tremendous amount of travel coming over

this portion of the Colorado-to-Gulf highway, and a good part of it is composed of patrons to our town from outlying districts."

The comment was from S. W. McLarty, prominent county resident and stock raiser, and who lives on the stretch in controversy between the city and county. Mr. McLarty explained that he believes that twice as much travel comes over this road as over any other leading into Vernon. He voiced the opinion that an equitable settlement might be effected through the city and county splitting the expense of paving.

Mr. McLarty advanced the proposal of the county owning its own paving outfit, as well. He is of the opinion that in this manner employment could be given to many during slack times and paving could be consummated at a less cost than is the case at present.

Record Classified Ads bring results.

MURRAY'S SHOP

JUNE CLEARANCE SALE

5 DAYS ONLY

JUNE 29 TO JULY 3

5 DAYS ONLY



SILK DRESSES

These are principally all one-of-a-style garments, of the kind you will find just as appropriate for late summer wear as now. Made of Canton Crepe, Georgette and Taffeta—

Values up to \$59.50, sale price \$31.75
Values up to \$45.90, sale price \$23.50
Values up to \$39.50, sale price \$13.50
One lot of silk dresses for only \$9.50

ORGANDY DRESSES

New high colors. Cool and dainty, lace and ruffle trimmed. Values up to \$22.50, sale price \$13.95
One lot of Organdy dresses for \$4.95

Wash Dresses

Women's and misses sheer Voile dresses, in a large variety of novelty printed effects, attractively trimmed. Light and dark colors.

Values up to \$15.00, sale price \$9.95
Values up to \$10.00, sale price \$5.95

Gingham Dresses

Fine French gingham dresses of the better kind, all colors. Values up to \$18.50, sale price \$12.75
Values up to \$12.50 for \$6.45
Values up to \$7.50 for \$3.75
One lot for \$1.45



CORSETS

All Modes

One-Fourth Off
Regular Price

One lot to clean up stock,
for95c

Bathing Suits and Accessories

Whether you swim like a fish or are just learning you will enjoy a new smart bathing suit. All wool knit suits in novelty stripes and combination effects, all colors. 1-4 off regular prices.

Bathing caps50c to \$1.00
Swimming bags\$1.45



Our Complete and Up-to-the-Minute Stock Included

Never in our history have we had such splendid stocks or such a large showing of the very newest and latest designs.

Here is your opportunity to make provisions for the summer by selecting your requirements from a real stock of merchandise at most reasonable prices.

Nothing Sold On Approval

Nothing Charged

Remember the date June 29 to July 3



MID-SEASON HATS

at end of season prices.

All spring and summer hats 1-2 regular selling price.

Extra special—one lot of hats, . . . \$1.00 Each

SILK UNDERWEAR

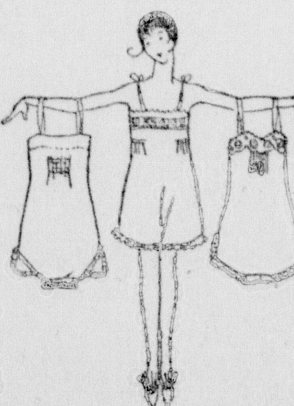
BOUDOIR CAPS

Values up to \$2.00
Sale price95c

TEDDIES

Value \$6.50—
Sale price \$3.45

Value \$2.50—
Sale price \$1.05



GOWNS

Plain tailored, value \$5.00, sale price \$2.95

Lace trimmed, value \$7.00, sale price \$2.95

BLOOMERS

Value \$4.50, sale price \$3.25

Brassieres, Corselettes, Petticoats
greatly reduced

SUITS

Reduced to prices that will effect their immediate disposal.

Suits of Tweeds, Poiret Twill, and Tricotine for City and vacation wear.

Suit values up to \$69.50, sale price 1-2 and less.

Wraps and Coats

Our entire stock of Capes and Sport Coats have been substantially reduced, and a tremendous saving is offered.

Capes from \$13.50 up to \$65.00
sale price from \$7.50 to \$35.00

Sport Coat up to \$45.00, sale price 1-2 and less.



SWEATERS AND SPORT COATS

A special assortment of Tuxedo style wool Sweaters all sizes and colors, sale price\$2.00 to \$4.95

Silk Sweaters, Tuxedo style, only a few to be closed out—1-3 off regular prices.

Slipover style wool sweaters, white and colors\$2.95 and \$3.95

SPORT SKIRTS

Plaids, Stripes and Checks in light weight wools, values up to \$16.50—
Sale price\$7.95

WHITE SKIRTS

Eponge, Fan-ta-si, satin crepe—Sale price\$8.95



Hosiery Reductions

Lace Clock hose of finest quality silk—black, white, brown, and camels-hair, values up to \$8.50
sale price\$3.45 to \$5.95

Plain silk hose in black, white, radio, gray, gold, brown, nude.

\$3.50 values\$2.45

\$2.00 values\$1.10



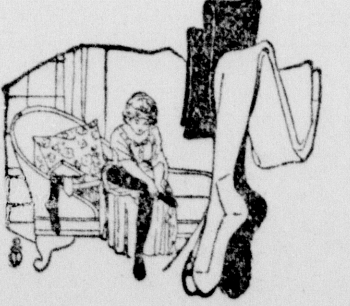
Beautiful Blouses

At prices sensationally low.

Dainty handmade Voile Blouses, values up to \$3.75, sale price\$2.25

Pongee Blouses, values up to \$5.00, sale price\$2.45

Silk and Georgette Blouses 1-3 off.



SHOWERS SCATTERED THROUGHOUT COUNTY

HEAVIEST PRECIPITATION REPORTED FROM SOUTHWEST WILBARGER.

Wilbarger county last night received showers only in spots according to reports received by The Record this morning. Although a thunder storm appeared imminent in Vernon, it served merely to send citizens scurrying to their homes from evening entertainment in various portions of town. Only a light sprinkle was registered locally.

Heavy rain fell at Rayland last night. Oklamoon and Harrold received only light showers as did Doans and Fargo in the north part of the county. White City, Odell and Tolliver were without rain. From the Hinds community and as far north as the oil well on the Ogelsby farm heavy rain was reported.

A downpour visited Vernon Saturday afternoon about 5:30, but was of short duration. There was a heavy shower near Oklamoon, but no rain north of the Pease river.

ABUNDANCE OF BOLL WEEVILS
THIS SPRING NECESSITATES
MODIFICATIONS IN METHODS

(By C. R. Coad and G. A. Maloney)

For the past few weeks we have been accumulating records on the emergence of the boll weevil from nearly all of the cotton states and are finding universally, as we forecasted some months ago, that the number of overwintered weevils is far greater than usual; in fact, in many districts where accurate counts have been made it has been found that we have in the fields now as many weevils as are ordinarily present a month later when the first summer-bred brood has started to appear. With anything like normal weather conditions this is going to mean a tremendously rapid increase in the weevil damage, and this will have an important bearing on the program to be followed by those using calcium arsenate for the control of the weevil.

In the first place it should be remembered that we recommend starting poisoning when from ten to fifteen per cent of the cotton squares have been punctured by the weevil. As a general rule this condition does not arise until after the newly bred weevils have started to emerge from the squares. This year, however, we have found many fields where there are already sufficient weevils present to destroy practically all squares as fast as formed. In other words, such cotton will never start blooming unless the weevils are controlled, and from the very outset 50 per cent or more of the squares are punctured. Under such conditions it is undoubtedly going to be necessary to poison earlier than ever before.

Of course, there is no advantage in poisoning the cotton before the squares form, as the weevils are continuing to emerge from hibernation during this period, and furthermore they are doing the crop no harm. However, where such a heavy infestation occurs it will be advisable to make the first application just as soon as the cotton starts squaring freely, or about the time the plants average from 4 to 5 squares each. The regular poisoning schedule should be started at that time and continued along the lines of the usual recommendations for controlling this early infestation of weevils.

Another very important effect of this heavy infestation will be felt later in the season. When the weevils first emerge from hibernation and reach the cotton field they move around very little as long as they can find an ample supply of unpunctured squares for their use, but just as soon as the infestation becomes sufficiently heavy to puncture practically all squares these weevils start to move in search of fresh pastures. In an ordinary season this means that you usually have only the weevils breed in your own cotton to contend with until some time from the latter part of July to the last of August, depending on the locality. This year, however, this movement of migration of weevils will probably start several weeks earlier than usual.

Consequently, it will not only be necessary for you to start poisoning earlier to control your own infestation, but you should also expect that, before you have had time to mature the fruit which your plants have set during this period of protection, you will begin to experience an immigration of weevils from unpunctured cotton. Of course, this condition would not arise if every one in a district was successfully poisoning his cotton; but this will not be the case this year, and just as soon as all squares in the unpunctured crops are punctured the migration to the poisoned fields will commence. (This means that every day a large crop of new weevils will move into these poi-

SECRET OPERATION FOR HARROLD McCORMICK



Harold F. McCormick, chairman of the Board of Directors of the International Harvester Co., and former son-in-law of John D. Rockefeller, has undergone a secret operation in Wesley Memorial Hospital in Chicago, and there are persistent rumors it was for gland transplantation in his efforts to keep young. Armed guards surrounded the hospital for days.

oned fields, and it is going to take continuous, thorough poisoning applications.

These two facts are just this: Successful weevil control this year is going to require more effort and more poison per acre than has ever been the case in the past. On the other hand, wherever the land is sufficiently fertile to justify such an effort, there is much more assurance of profit from the operation than is usually the case. The increase in the cost per acre brought about by the increased number of applications necessary will be far more than compensated for by the fact that the weevil damage without poisoning will be far greater than normal and thus the margin of profit on the operation is tremendously increased. In other words, a heavy infestation such as we have this year means a greater expenditure per acre for poisoning to successfully control it, but it means a greater actual profit in dollars and cents per acre from the poisoning operations.



Egg preserver. Save your eggs. Fergusson Drug Co. 11c.

Misses Audrey and Dorothy Cook left Saturday for a visit in Fort Worth.

Every sack of "Belle of Vernon" flour is guaranteed. 43-44c.

Mrs. Joe H. Anderson of Chillicothe was a guest of Mrs. Naylor Friday.

Joe Sumner went to Fort Worth Friday night.

Place your order for monuments and coping with Bailey at the cemetery. 46-47c.

See Hart of Spur, Texas, was in the city Monday visiting with old friends. Mr. Hart was formerly a Vernon boy.

A. J. Robinson and family and Lee Bryant and family spent Sunday in Davidson, Okla.

Miss Verna Lucky has been confined to her home for the past four days on account of sickness.

Have your work done by the new hemstitching machine at Childrens Fashion Shop, Phone 661. 45-47c.

James Newth, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Newth, is in Fort Worth visiting with friends.

J. E. Collins is recovering slowly from his recent illness and it is thought he will soon be up again.

Miss Hazel Williams of Chillicothe is here as a guest of her uncle, B. A. Williams and family.

Candidates Expenses \$2,465.05
With the filing of Mrs. D. J. Wilhelm's expense account of \$100.25 incurred in her race as a candidate for tax collector, the total of all money paid out by candidates both for district and county offices is \$2,465.05.

KIDNEY TROUBLES

Come to our store and buy a 50c bottle of our BU-JU Kidney pills. Take 32 of these pills and if you have failed to get results return the balance of what you have left and we will pay you your money back without any strings tied to the sale.

For sale and guaranteed by
B. & W. DRUG CO.

J. A. Dixon returned Sunday from an extended business trip to Clarendon and other towns west of Vernon.

Have your work done by the new hemstitching machine at Childrens Fashion Shop, Phone 661. 45-47c.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Stroud of Hault Hill were shopping in Vernon Saturday.

You'll be pleased with your new dress if it's made at Childrens Fashion Shop. Phone 661. 45-47c.

Mrs. J. P. Huffstater and little daughter, Mozelle, left Sunday for Co. to visit relatives.

We are preparing to do your HEM STITCHING. Childrens Fashion Shop Phone 661. 45-47c.

E. L. McHugh, county judge, is about again after a short attack of illness last week-end.

Best bread is baked with 'Belle of Vernon' flour. 42-91c.

Tanlac builds up the weak, run down system and makes you feel strong, sturdy and well, as nature intended. Fergusson Drug Co. 11c.

Good assortment bath caps. Priced right. Fergusson Drug Co. 11c.

We are preparing to do your HEM STITCHING. Childrens Fashion Shop Phone 661. 45-47c.

For Sale—Flour sacks for dish towels, sixty cents per dozen. Call at Kell Milling Co. 43-34c.

W. V. Vance returned to his home in Chillicothe today to recuperate from a slight operation performed last week at a local sanitarium.

For Sale—Flour sacks for dish towels, sixty cents per dozen. Call at Kell Milling Co. 43-34c.

Mrs. Bonnie Packer came to Vernon yesterday from her home near Fargo to undergo an operation for appendicitis.

J. E. Collins, though still confined to his room, is considerably better, after a serious illness.

"I feel twenty years younger," is what thousands have said after Tanlac restored them to health. Try it. Fergusson Drug Co. 11c.

Have you met the "Belle of Vernon"? She was at the Cooking School. 42-91c.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Humphrey of Powhuska, Okla., are visiting in Vernon. Mrs. Humphrey is a daughter of former Congressman John H. Stephens.

Earl Westmoreland of Antlers, Okla., is here for a few days visiting his mother, Mrs. J. E. Collins of West Paradise street.

The "Belle of Vernon" makes our town her headquarters. You should invite her to visit your pantry. 43-9c.

J. M. Pool and Miss Mattie Clair were married Monday at the Paschal home in this city by Thomas E. Millholland of the Church of Christ.

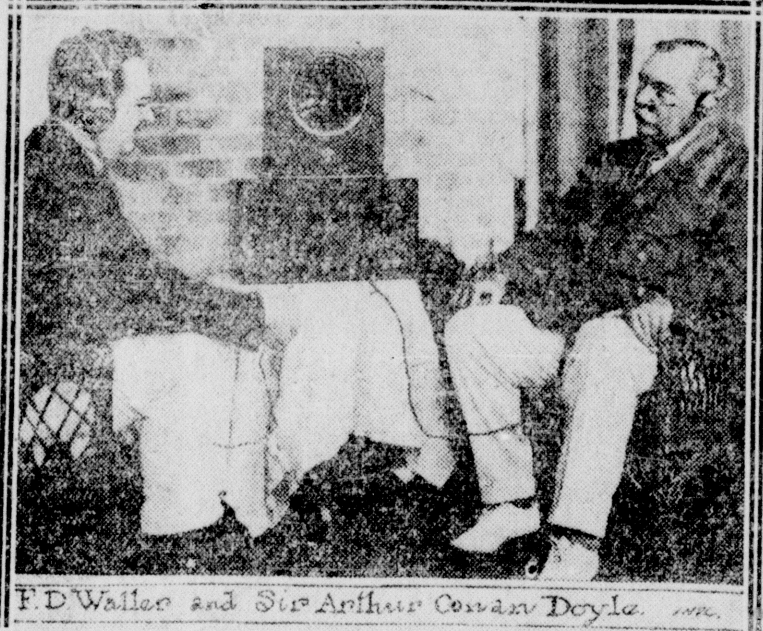
No lumps in your malted milks served at B. & W. Drug Co. with our Speed King mixer. 11c.

Mrs. J. A. Dixon and Miss Beryl Dixon returned from Weatherford Saturday after a week's visit with relatives there.

Wanted: 250 malted milk customers to drink malted milk at our fountain made with the Speed King.—B. & W. Drug Co. 11c.

If the delivery boy does not deliver your Vernon Record on time, phone 171 and same will be corrected. 11c.

TO USE RADIO IN PSYCHIC EXPERIMENTS.



Sir Arthur Conan Doyle, author and psychic investigator, is shown learning the intricates of the radio telephone from Mr. F. D. Waller at Atlantic City, N. J. Sir Arthur became so enthusiastic he ordered an elaborate set for installation in his English home and believes it may aid him in psychic experiments.

Frances Reed, who has been here visiting his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Harper of W. Wilbarger street, left Saturday for Galveston where he will spend the remainder of the summer.

Buy a Neeson Perfect oil stove and be satisfied with your cooking. We guarantee it in every respect. The Everything Store. 11c.

Mrs. J. Ailman Pitts who has been critically ill and under treatment of physicians at Marlin, is somewhat better. She has been removed to the home of her parents at Lockhart.

"Where there is smoke there is always fire," so when twenty million well-known men and women in all walks of life say Tanlac is a good medicine, there must be something to it.—Fergusson Drug Co. 11c.

Our Speed King mixer prepares a malted milk right to please the people who like malted milks at B. & W. Drug Co. 11c.

Mr. and Mrs. Anderson, Smith, Jr., visited Mrs. R. M. Wages of near Frederick, Okla. They drove through, crossing Red River by the bridge north of Electra. Mrs. Smith is a granddaughter of Mrs. Wages.

Ice cold watermelons served at B. & W. Drug Co. 11c.

Thomas E. Millholland, minister of the Church of Christ, was called to Chillicothe Sunday afternoon to conduct the funeral of Mr. Allensworth, an aged resident of that town.

Now is the time to buy your ice cream freezers and The Everything Store is the place. 11c.

Mrs. C. W. Igon and children and Mrs. Ida Lloyd and children of Electra were in Vernon Sunday afternoon enroute to their home after a visit with relatives and friends at Doans.

Mr. and Mrs. Lois L. Greene and little daughter of Wichita Falls spent Sunday with their mother, Mrs. J. T. Williams. Mrs. Dan Bomier returned home with them late Sunday afternoon.

If you like and appreciate real malted milks drink a malted milk at our fountain. Made right and served right.—B. & W. Drug Co. 11c.

SEND FOR FREE SAMPLE of that little (interdenominational) paper, edited by Raymond T. Richey, which is doing so much good and becoming known the world over. The Full Gospel Advocate, Box 878, Houston, Texas. 47-31c.

Mrs. Shelby Harwell of Hillsboro left Sunday for Wichita Falls after a visit in this city with Miss Gene Lewellyn. Mrs. Harwell was formerly Miss Myrtle Walker of Wichita Falls, and has visited in Vernon often.

Stationery of the best quality at Fergusson Drug Co.

Between Jan. 9th and May 5th, 1922 a Studebaker light six driving night and day in severe weather near Wichita, Kansas, traveled 34,525 miles, averaging 21.23 miles per gallon of gas and 1,664 miles per gallon of oil. Car in first class condition at completion of the test and entire repair bill totaled \$24.80. 48-21c.

Miss Ethel Hood left Sunday for Law, Okla. where she will visit her sister, Mrs. Irene Moore, of that place. From there she will go to Tulsa, Kansas to visit an uncle, George Stafford, and will also visit relatives in Shamrock. She expects to be gone two weeks. Miss Hood will be accompanied by her grandfather, James Stafford of Fargo.

Buy your hay wire at the Everything Store and save money on it. 11c.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Turner and family and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Ross of Odell came Sunday for a visit with relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Turner returned Sunday evening and were accompanied home by Miss Maude Ross, who had been visiting here and at leading chiguanana. Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Ross remained over and will visit a few days with their sons, A. S. Ross, C. P. Ross and J. R. Ross.

Wayne Dollarhide returned this morning from a visit with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pace, of Troupe. He will leave Thursday, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Gilliland of Wichita Falls, another uncle and aunt, for California where the party will spend the summer. Wayne is the grandson of Rev. and Mrs. S. H. Holmes of West Paradise street.

Have your doctor send us your prescription.—B. & W. Drug Co. 11c.



The ONE BEST SHOE in the U. S. at the Price

The Edmonds Shoe Company of Milwaukee, makes just ONE shoe, on three lasts. Army last, medium toe and narrow toe.

Every pair is made of the highest grade of mohogany calf. It is impossible to make a better shoe. They are able to produce much better value in this way, and we in turn pass it on to the trade.

The Wonderful Shoes are sold at \$7.50 per pair. It pays you best to buy "Edmonds Foot-Fitters."

Price \$7.50

Dixon Dry Goods Co.

"The Store for Quality."

THE LAST WEEK OF JUNE BRINGS EXTRAORDINARY VALUES



SPRING COAT SUITS HALF PRICE

All The Remaining Coat Suits At Half Regular Price

This means that you may choose any Coat Suit in stock—conservative tailored styles of Tricotine, also fancy tweeds and combination sport models. Suits from \$25.00 upwards to \$69.50, now at HALF PRICE.

SPRING CAPES NOW HALF PRICE

Good Styles For Early Fall Wear—Choose Early—Half Price

Lovely capes—velour, tricotine and tweeds in various shades—Priced \$11.50 to \$37.50 at ONE-HALF PRICE.

SILK DRESSES AT WONDERFUL REDUCTIONS

This comprehensive group includes frocks for wear anywhere at any time. Crepe knits Crepe de Chine, Canton Crepes in all the new shades. There are distinctive taffetas, exclusive of design and trim in darker shades for general wear. Specially priced from—\$9.95 up to \$45.00

SPORT SKIRTS—25 PER CENT DISCOUNT

Sport skirts—a good selection of this season's newest sports and utility skirts in basket weaves, tweeds, homespun and sport silks—Check's, plaids, stripes and solid colors—Priced \$6.50 up to \$16.50, special. \$1.88 up to \$12.10

All Model Hats in lovely colors from exclusive designers—values to \$18.50, special \$1.95

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